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## ANIMATION SECURITY METHOD

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Enclosed are:

1.  Specification      6.  Assignment of the invention to  
 2.  Sheet(s) of drawing(s)      7.  Certified copy of a priority document.  
 3.  Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97      8.  Associate Power of Attorney  
 4. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney:  
   4a.  New  
   4b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 11 completed)

5.  Incorporation by Reference (useable if Box 4b is

checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

9.  Deletion of Inventor(s).

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

10.  If a 111A application prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the specification at Page 1, after the title, by inserting the following:

## --CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

Reference is made to and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. , filed , entitled .

If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

11.  Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. :

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13.  Letter Under Rule 53

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Pursuant to Rule 53, the above-identified application, enclosed herewith (including specification and claims), is being filed without a signed declaration or assignment in the names of the inventors, Thomas M. Stephany, John R. Squilla, Donald E. Olson. The declaration and assignment will be filed later.

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